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In re PATENT APPLICATION of:
DERKS et al.

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Examiner: Jeffrey Robertson

Title: PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF ESTERS OF (METH)ACRYLIC ACIDS

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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Advisory Action mailed June 24, 2004, and further in reply to the Final Office Action dated January 29, 2004, please enter the following amendment and reconsider the application in view of the following.

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims; and
- **Remarks and arguments** which follow the claim amendments.